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REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OR DIVISION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION

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This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior international application Number PCT /EP02/00280, filed on Jan 14, entitled PROCESS FOR PREPARING A FLEXIBLE POLYURETHANE FOAM, 2002, which designated the United States.

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				Total =	\$750.00

- Enclosed are the specification, claims and drawing(s).
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment of Deposit Account No. 08-3442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ Application Data Sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.
- ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a ☐ continuation ☐ division of international application number PCT _____, filed _____, (status, abandoned, pending, etc.)."

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8. ☒ A declaration under CFR 1.63 is enclosed.

9. ☒ Priority of foreign application number 01104687.7, filed on 26 February 2001
in the EPO is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).

☐ The certified copy is enclosed.

10. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

11. ☒ Also enclosed: Information Disclosure Statement; Return Postcard

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